The Secretary Removes the Engineer of the Federal Building.

REASON ASSIGNED.

Postmaster Dayton Was Not Consulted, and the Case Will Be Contested.

MAY AFFECT 20,000 OTHERS

Dair Declares He Will Carry His Protest Before the National Association of Engineers for Consideration.

Lyman J. Gage, Secretary of the Treasury, has dismissed from service John Dair. Chief Engineer of the New York Post Office Building, and appointed in his place

Alfred E. Fry, of Boston. Mr. Dalr., who was a selection of Post master Charles W. Dayton, has been in the service of the Government for three ears, but has been known as a skilled engineer for more han a quarter of a cen tury. He is a deputy president of the National Association of Engineers, and says his case is of such a nature as to affect the entire organization throughout the United States. No reason was given or Dair's removal, nor was Postmaster Dayton consulted regarding it.
"I am a Democrat," said Dair at his

ome, No. 70 Seventh avenue, last night. That was my crime, and I had to make way for a Republican. So far as the postion is concerned I do not care, but my re noval is in direct violation of the Civil Ser

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Treasury Department.

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

Washington, D. C., April 2, 1897.__

Mr. John Dair,

New York City, New York.

Sir:

Your services as Chief Engineer -

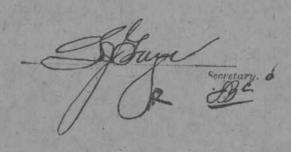
REMOVAL.

the United States ____Court-House and Post-Office ____building

at New York City, New York rill not be required from

and after _the 15th instant._

Respectfully, yours,



Gage's Letter of Dismissal to Engineer Dair.

WITH ROPE AND RAG GENERAL LOUD'S PAY TO BIND AND GAG. BEING INVESTIGATED. FOR THE IRISH FAIR.

Two Cruel Robbers Shady, Said to Have Asked Double Ladies' County Associations Loudly They Swore, Broke in a Door and

STOLE THE WILL OF BRADY. FITCH MAKES AN INQUIRY, LIST OF PATRONS GROWS.

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the Taking, and

investigating railroad rates and terminal facilities. These committees are the outgrowth of a movement started in Nebraska five or six years ago to build a road from the description of the assault. During this raid tendent of Pablic Instruction in that State.

ward W. Winter is not generally to the departure of sold spread just previous to the departure of portions of the country. Moreon for Europe. Mr. Morthalt Vice-President Hobbart and Vice-President Hobbart and Spread spread of the country.

Lone Female Fought, but Rob- Clerk to Commissioner of Jurors Colonel George B. McClellan May Not Be Paid for His Night

School Lectures.

of Law.

Salaries in Violation

General George B. Loud is a clerk in the and gagged a defenceless woman and took office of the Commissioner of Jurors. The ty exhibits for the great Irish Fair, to open from her a will involving the disposition of salary is but \$1,200. The duties are light, next month at the Grand Central, realizing \$250,000 ' was related before Surrogate occupying but little of General Loud's that time is beginning to press closely, are April 7.-A committee from Fitzgerald yesterday as a preface to the time. He has a reputation as an orator, holding business meetings in different parts Brady will contest.

He is a member of the North Side Republicant of the city almost every evening.

The alleged midnight raid on the last lient Club, in which association his intendent of Public Instruction in that State. headquarters of the Irish Volunteers. Both matter up and Texas has amiltee to confer with the sister, Mrs. Emile Becker. eral lectures in the evening course given There existed a previous will, by the pre-visions of which James was to inherit one-

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seagaged in the stowars and petrolemic export business. It is supposed that death resulted from heart disease. He was very well known in shipping circles, and in his younger days commanded several vessels maning from this port.

MINING MARKET ACTIVE.

Japan Leads the List and Records a Good Gain for the Day.

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The mining market was fairly active yesterday, the feature being the heavy trading in Japan, which advanced from \$2.37\(\frac{1}{2}\) to be been seen.

Mining market was fairly active yesterday, which is owned by the resent sellers of the Tom-Bay, located in the Tollar district of the San Juan, is reported as showing up very well in its department. Adams, a clerk in this department, who after his day's work was done, taught of after his day's work was done, taught of the wile the house of the members. The next meeting will be located in the stand decided in favor of the city. It is a great hardship, I know, but there is the law. A draughtsman in one of the departments who taught in the might be were left untouched, and when the men restriction, the following letter himself the weather they wanted house, or until Mr. Brady returned from the drug store, and the department of the case of \$4.000 shares.

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The Limerick Ladies' Association will disappearance of the later will has caused association report excellent progress. Over the former Instrument.

His lectures have been on patriotic submest to morrow evening at Haleyou Half, Andes, Formae Island.

Andes, Formae Is

CAPTAIN WESSELS DEAD.

The Well-Known Broker Stricken Suddenly with Heart Disease, and Died in the Street.

Captain John P. Wessels, a member of the Produce, Maritime and Consolidated Rechanges, dropped dead yesterday on the street in front of No. 38 Broadway. He was picked up by Policeman Schriever, of the Old Silp Station, and carcied into a hallway, whence his body was removed by an undertaker to his home, at No. 301 Seventh street, Brooklyn.

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FROM THE CITY

Metropolitan Street Railway Company Secures a Valuable Privilege.

NO FEE CAN BE LEVIED.

General Collis Decides That the Eighth Avenue Motive Power May Be Changed.

The Metropoltan Street Railway Company yesterday received a permit from Commissioner Collis, of the Department of Public Works, to tear up Eighth avenue for the purpose of changing the motive power of the Eighth Avenue Railroad to electricity. A careful reading of the company's franchise convinced General Collis that he could not charge one dollar for the eceives a new franchise for nothing.

The company filed four applications to the Central Park road, but only one was granted. The conditions are similar to pany when it replaced the horse cars by a cable road. The work is to be comtraffic on Eighth avenue shall not be interfered with, and the paving, from the Harlem River to Vesey street and Broadway, is to be replaced to the satisfaction of the engineers of the Public Works De-

Mayor Strong's attention was called to the fact that when the Broadway company

Weather for To-day.

MARITIME NEWS.

OUTGOING STEAMSHIPS.

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Savannah	100	5:00 P. M.
brinoco, Bermuda	1:00 P. M.	3:00 P. M.
Santiago, Nassan and Santiago de Cubs	1:00 P. M.	3:00 P. M. 10:00 A. M.
Sandam, Amsterdam SAIL TO-3		10:00 A. M.
Heghany Jamaica.	0:00 A. M.	12:00 M.

INCOMING STEAMSHIPS

HIGH AND LOW WATER TO-DAY. GOVERNOR'S ISLAND. SANDY HOOK H, W. L. W. H, W. L. W. H, W. L. W. 11:27 a. m. 6:00 a. m. 11:05 a. m. 5:24 a. m. 5:35 p. m. 11:34 p. m. 4:58 p. m.

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